

GRAMMAR

ADVERBS OF FREQUENCY

3 A Read the sentences and put the adverbs in bold in the correct place on the line below.

- 1 At the weekends we **usually** play football or go running together.
- 2 Mark is **sometimes** on his computer for eight or ten hours.
- 3 We **often** visit each other or do things together.
- 4 We **hardly ever** see each other, maybe three or four times in the last five years.



B Read the sentences again and underline the correct alternative in the rules below.

RULES

The adverb goes *before/after* the verb *be*.
The adverb goes *before/after* other verbs.

C Put the words in the correct order.

- 1 A / you / problems / often / with / friend / helps / real
A real friend often helps you with problems.
- 2 friends / other / understand / each / Real / always
- 3 friend / is / a brother or sister / real / sometimes / A
- 4 about / friends / ask / personal things / never / Real
- 5 disagree / Real / hardly ever / friends
- 6 are / age / the same / friends / Real / usually